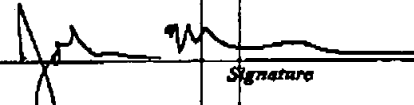
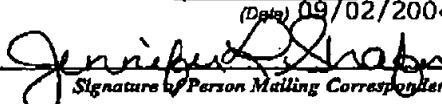


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This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Final Office Action of <u>May 7, 2004</u> above-identified application.					
The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):					
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from: <u>August 7, 2004</u> until: <u>September 7, 2004</u>					
Date Date					
The fee for the extension of time is \$110 and is to be paid as follows:					
<input type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.					
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. <u>09-0469 (IBM)</u>					
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<input type="checkbox"/> Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.					
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